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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

SIR:

Please find an Amendment transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application. Applicant respectfully requests a three-month extension of time in which to respond to the office action dated June 8, 2005, for which a response period expiring on September 8, 2005 was set. The extended period expires on December 8, 2005.

Please charge the \$1,020.00 extension fee and any additional fees required to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. A duplicate copy of this Transmittal is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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